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|  | Application No.                                    | Applicant(s)                                    |                    |  |  |  |
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|  | 10/764,169   | TRIPOLI, MELCHIORE                              | ·<br>E (MIKE)      |  |  |  |
| Notice of Abandonment  | Examiner   | Art Unit  | <u>- (WIII (L)</u> |  |  |  |
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| The MAILING DATE of this communication   |  | <del> </del>                                    |                    |  |  |  |
| This application is abandoned in view of:  |  |   |                    |  |  |  |
| 1. Applicant's failure to timely file a proper reply to the C (a) A reply was received on (with a Certificate period for reply (including a total extension of time (b) A proposed reply was received on, but it d | of Mailing or Transmission de of month(s)) which e | ated), which is after the expirati<br>xpired on |                    |  |  |  |
| (A proper reply under 37 CFR 1.113 to a final reje<br>application in condition for allowance; (2) a timely<br>Continued Examination (RCE) in compliance with   | filed Notice of Appeal (with a                     |   |                    |  |  |  |
| (c) ☐ A reply was received on but it does not constitute a proper reply, or a bona fide attempt at a proper reply, to the non-final rejection. See 37 CFR 1.85(a) and 1.111. (See explanation in box 7 below).     |  |   |                    |  |  |  |
| (d) ⊠ No reply has been received.  |  |   |                    |  |  |  |
| 2. Applicant's failure to timely pay the required issue fee<br>from the mailing date of the Notice of Allowance (PTC   |  | able, within the statutory period of three      | e months           |  |  |  |
| (a) The issue fee and publication fee, if applicable,), which is after the expiration of the statuto Allowance (PTOL-85).  |  |   |                    |  |  |  |
| (b) The submitted fee of \$ is insufficient. A ball  | ance of \$ is due.                                 |   |                    |  |  |  |
| The issue fee required by 37 CFR 1.18 is \$ The publication fee, if required by 37 CFR 1.18(d), is \$  |  |   |                    |  |  |  |
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| 3. Applicant's failure to timely file corrected drawings as required by, and within the three-month period set in, the Notice of Allowability (PTO-37).  |  |   |                    |  |  |  |
| (a) Proposed corrected drawings were received on (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated), which is after the expiration of the period for reply.   |  |   |                    |  |  |  |
| (b) No corrected drawings have been received.  | -  |   |                    |  |  |  |
| 4. The letter of express abandonment which is signed be the applicants.  | y the attorney or agent of rec                     | ord, the assignee of the entire interest,       | or all of          |  |  |  |
| 5. The letter of express abandonment which is signed by 1.34(a)) upon the filing of a continuing application.  | by an attorney or agent (acting                    | in a representative capacity under 37           | CFR                |  |  |  |
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